



41

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Junichiro TONAMI

Serial No. 10/083,494

Filed: February 27, 2002

For: DIGITAL SIGNAL
REPRODUCING APPARATUS

RECEIVED

SEP 30 2004

Technology Center 2600

Art Unit: 2652

Examiner: Battaglia, Michael V.

Atty Docket: 0102/0197

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 13, 2004 in which the examiner restricted the instant application, applicant elects for prosecution in this case the Species of Fig. 6. It is believed that claims 1, 2, 3, 4 and 12 are readable thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

Louis Woo, RN 31,730
Law Offices of Louis Woo
717 North Fayette Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314
(703) 299-4090

Date: Sept 28, 2004